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CRUISER TO WATCH CUBA

Des Moines Is Sent Hastily to Key West Under Orders from President Roosevelt.

AMERICAN INTERESTS TO BE GUARDED

Palma's Suspension of Constitutional Rights Is Followed By Arrest of Many Suspected Liberal Leaders.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 11.—It was officially admitted today that the American cruiser Des Moines, which sailed yesterday hastily for Norfolk, had gone southward to Key West with the ultimate purpose of proceeding to Havana if developments within the next two days seem to warrant such action. At Key West the Des Moines will be about eight hours' run from Havana, and while waiting, Commander Halsey will be in close communication with the navy department prepared to carry out immediately any request from the state department. There is no intention in this movement of the Des Moines toward participation toward one side or the other in the present conflict in Cuba. The ship will be at Havana to serve as an asylum in case of need and be at the disposition of the American chargé.

In case the United States government finds it necessary to intervene in the Cuban affairs under the Platt amendment, forces which would have to be used for that purpose would be found in a much better state of preparation than when hostilities began between the United States and Spain. The long military occupation of Cuba by the United States offered an opportunity to army officers to become familiar with the island, and probably no portion of the earth is better known to the military authorities of the United States than the island of Cuba. In addition to the familiarity of the officers with the geographical and general conditions of Cuba, all supply departments are better equipped.

The president, at Oyster Bay, is keeping in close touch with every development of the revolutionary movement in Cuba, and is in constant communication by wire with the officials, who indeed are even in receipt of detailed instructions from him as to what they shall do. The prime object of the administration at present is to get at the details which is no easy task. Particularly is it desired to know the precise strength of the revolutionary sentiment in Cuba and the relative powers of the government and the insurgents there.

Morgan, the American minister to Cuba, is reported to be hastening from Europe, where he has been on a vacation, to Cuba, and meanwhile Sleeper, the secretary of the American legation at Havana, is supplying the state department with a daily bulletin containing such statistics as he is able to gather there. It is realized, however, that Sleeper is bound to accept the official rendition of the daily collisions between President Palma's troops and the insurgents in the field. He has no means of securing the rebels' statement of these same occurrences, and in the view of the officials, there is good reason to believe that the whole truth is not disclosed by either side.

It is the purpose of the administration to proceed with great deliberation in dealing with Cuban questions and it was said on the highest authority that there would be no intervention by the United States unless the rebellion assumed the proportions of a general conflagration. It was further stated that there had been no application from any foreign government for the United States government to step in and preserve peace.

HAVANA, Sept. 11.—President Palma last night issued a decree, suspending all constitutional guarantees in the provinces of Pinar del Rio, Havana and Santa Clara. The law enforcing public order, which is equivalent to martial law, is put into immediate effect in the three provinces named.

A supplemental decree has been issued suspending the decree of August 28th, pardoning repudiated rebels and ordering that all rebels be arrested and jailed.

Both decrees have been communicated to all officers in the field. Coincident with the issuance of the decrees, which followed tonight's decision not to yield to the peace demands, the government ordered the arrest of practically every prominent Liberal. Alfredo Zayas, president of the Liberal party, and several other Liberal leaders have disappeared.

HAVANA, Sept. 11.—The government of Cuba now views with suspicion not only its political opponents but also many of those whom it has hitherto trusted as friends. The government, it is learned, has suspected for several days that some, even of the members of the veterans' peace committee desired to turn their peace committee into a practical Liberal victory. The veterans deny this insinuation. They are all apparently solely interested, for the moment at least, in securing peace.

Rumors are persistently ripe that the government was assured of the backing of the United States before the

enactment of the fresh declaration of war.

HAVANA, Sept. 11.—Concerning the present attitude of the government and the decree issued by President Palma, General Rafael Montalvo, secretary of public works, said today:

"The government has been entirely too lenient with the rebels. Our desire to avoid bloodshed has been mistaken for vacillation. The suppression of constitutional guarantees was necessary to effect the arrest of several senators and congressmen who form the central revolution committee in this city and whose actions have been closely watched lately by men of the secret service."

Secretary of the Treasury Sterling

denied the report that the Cuban government had been in communication

with Washington, or has been consulted in any manner. Government officers say the administration is capable of coping with the situation.

The following persons were arrested today: Ex-Congressman Dr. Madrely, Clerk of the House of Representatives; Felipe Gonzales Sarrain, General Cader and ex-Mayor of Havana Juan Ramon Ofarill, who was ousted from his position by Governor Nunez to make room for a moderate successor.

What appears to be positive confirmation has been received of the report that Alfredo Zayas, president of the Liberal party and vice president of the Cuban senate, is among the group of prominent men who have joined the insurgents outside Havana.

Baldemaro Acosta, a prominent resident of Havana, joined the rebels today with 100 followers and started for El Cao in Havana province.

The stock market showed a serious

falling off in prices today.

It was learned today that the proposition submitted to the government by the rebels was that half of the senators and half of the representatives resign and that new elections be held to fill vacancies. President Palma and the members of the cabinet to hold their positions. New general elections were to be held and new election days were to be provided for.

KIDNAPED BOYS REPORTED DEAD

Stolen by a Chinese Boss, they Were Burned in a Cannery Fire.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 11.—News has reached this city that Willie Sylva, aged 16 years, who was entreated from his San Leandro home by a Chinese boss for the Alaska Fisheries, is dead. Six other boys who were Sylva's companions in the trip north are also dead and their bodies lie in unmarked graves on Coffee creek, Alaska.

Young Sylva was missed from his home April 15 and his father was told that he had been kidnaped and was about to be taken to the Alaska cannery in the ship Santa Clara. The police searched the Santa Clara without avail. It has been since learned that the boy had been hidden on the vessel by Chinese. On June 2nd the cannery where the boys worked was fired and it is said that when efforts were made to arouse them it was found that they were stupefied by opium smoke. The flames made such rapid progress that it was impossible to save them.

COPPER MINE EXCITEMENT

Inyo County Properties Represent Millions.

Heat in the Region is Terrific and Labor Reported Very Difficult.

GREENWATER, Cal., Sept. 11.—The excitement over the copper deposits discovered recently in this district is on the increase. Hundreds of men have braved the desert to get into Inyo county and locate prospects in the new field, sixty miles south of Bullfrog.

It is stated that during the past two weeks sales aggregating a grand total of \$4,250,000 have been made and the price of everything in the district has shot sky high.

The Kuntz property was purchased by a syndicate headed by Charles M. Schwab for \$300,000; the Heizer property cost \$300,000; the Roger Knox property entailed an expenditure of \$150,000; the Greenwater furnace creek property, purchased by a syndicate of Los Angeles capitalists under the leadership of Major John W. Oft, was obtained for \$100,000. The Donnellan group sold for \$100,000. Patsy Clark's property is now valued at \$3,000,000. The Kemp group is valued at \$200,000. The Copper Cliff group was bought outright last week for \$75,000.

Prices on property that lie in the district have in twenty days gone from \$100 up to \$1,000 and higher. Such men as Schwab, Heizer, Senator W. A. Clark, H. H. Clark, Malcolm McDonald, Donald Gillis and Senator Nixon are represented in the district, either in person or by their experts. They are spending money right and left for every property that is purchasable, and are rushing development work as fast as men and supplies can be hurried into the district.

Conditions of labor are most difficult. The heat is terrific. Water costs from \$5 to \$10 a barrel and is hauled into the district by mules that it costs \$3 a day to feed. A bath is not allowed in the new camp—water is too scarce and precious to be used for bathing purposes. Rattlesnakes and desert vermin are thick. The "Borax" Smith road will pass within fourteen miles of the new camp and the new road at Bullfrog but sixty miles away affords a mode of hand-

PHELAN IS NOW IN LEAD

Bell and Diggs Are Both Going Before Convention, Killing Chances of Each.

EX-MAYOR HAS MADE NO STATEMENT YET

Fight of the Day Over Temporary Chairmanship Results in Victory for McNab—Fitzgerald the Winner.

(Special Correspondence.)

SACRAMENTO, Sept. 11.—The Democratic state convention was in session this afternoon and evening. The net result was the selection of Fitzgerald of Alameda for temporary chairman and the appointment by him of the evening session of the usual committee.

Fitzgerald's selection for temporary chairman was only effected after a spirited contest. Edward White of Santa Cruz, a brother of the late Stephen M. White, was the choice of those delegates outside of the large cities, and an effort was made to elect him as a protest against domination by the city delegates. He was defeated by 369 votes to 324.

The committee on credentials is meeting tonight. It has a hard task to settle the disputed delegation from San Francisco, some of whom are objected to on the grounds of McNab bias. W. D. Foote of Fresno is a member of the committee, which consists of fifteen members appointed by the chairman. The platform committee is meeting tonight with the problem of including within the limits of a reasonable pronouncement the many decisions presented by the delegates.

George W. Cartwright represents Fresno county on the committee and J. M. Griffin of Selma is assisting in the work of the committee on permanent organization and order of business.

The sixth congressional district has organized with A. L. Colwell of Stockton as chairman and Henry Dawson of Fresno as secretary, and is attempting the apparently impossible task of finding a candidate to oppose Congressman Needham, Judge Minor of Stanislaus, Edward White of Santa Cruz and W. D. Foote of Fresno are the names most freely made use of, but each betrays an unwillingness to be made a sacrifice.

George L. Warlow of Fresno will almost certainly be nominated for the appellate court bench. David S. Evans of Fresno is being urged to allow his name to be placed before the convention as a candidate for the position of associate justice of the supreme court, but there is little likelihood of his accepting the proffered honor.

At a late hour tonight there are indications that ex-Mayor Phelan will be the nominee for governor. The fight between Bell of Napa and Diggs of Yolo has reached the stage at which conciliation seems impossible and there is a growing sentiment that Phelan is the man of the hour. And in the mean time, Phelan is supposed to be careening around the vicinity of the McCloud river in an automobile, regardless of the possible action of the convention. It is whispered, however, that he is in receptive mood.

(By Associated Press.)

PAVILION, Sacramento, Sept. 11.—The principal theme of conversation among the delegates to the state Democratic convention is whether the name of James D. Phelan will be presented tomorrow for the nomination for governor. While nothing of a definite nature is given out by the Phelan adherents, George Welch, a delegate who claims to be in communication with the former mayor of San Francisco, says that Phelan will take the nomination if it is unanimously tendered him. It is expected that a letter or message from Phelan will be received before the convention opens tomorrow, stating his position.

The fight for the gubernatorial nomination assumed a new phase late today, when Senator Marshall Diggs announced that he had released former Congressman Theodore A. Bell from all obligations, leaving the latter free to appear before the convention as a candidate. Diggs made this statement after a conference between friends of the two men.

It is said to be the plan of the Bell delegates to give Diggs a complimentary vote, and at the proper time it is believed that the state senator will decline the nomination and ask that his delegates be thrown to the support of his delegates.

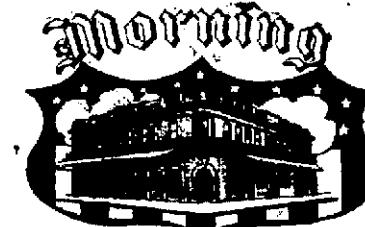
Diggs is now being talked of as a congressional nominee from the second district, which was formerly represented by Bell.

Today's proceedings of the convention occupied portions of the entire day and evening.

The session convened at 11 o'clock this morning and, including the recesses and adjournments, continued until 9 o'clock tonight.

The nominees for the judiciary have practically been decided on.

Thomas O. Toland of Ventura will in all probability be named for lieutenant governor. John Garber will be nominated for presiding justice in the



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PRICE FIVE CENTS.

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first appellate district. Endorsement may be given the nomination of Justice S. P. Hall for justice of the appellate court. Justice Cooper, the incumbent, may be given the third place in the first appellate court.

It is likely that in the second appellate court district the three justices appointed by Governor Pardoe will be nominated. They are Guy, Smith and Allen. The latter is on the Republican ticket.

Superior Judge J. W. Hughes of Sacramento will be named for presiding justice of the third appellate court. Justice C. E. McLaughlin, who was appointed by Pardoe, will be named and the third place will probably be given Judge J. E. Prawitt of Auburn.

Superior Judge Frank J. Murray of San Francisco is conceded a nomination for justice of the supreme court.

At a meeting of the delegates of the Twelfth assembly district, comprising Lake, Colusa and Glenn counties, F. H. Smythe was deputed upon as the nominee for the assembly. Smythe is a resident of Lake county.

SACRAMENTO, Sept. 11.—The first day's session of the Democratic state convention developed a spirited contest for the temporary chairmanship, which was finally won by R. M. Fitzgerald of Oakland, who defeated Edward White of Santa Cruz. The night proved to be an unusually close one. Fitzgerald receiving 370 votes, while 345 votes were cast for his opponent. Fitzgerald had the support of the delegates led by Gavin McNab of San Francisco, while most of the delegates from what is termed the "country" district voted for White. The latter is brother of the late United States Senator Stephen M. White.

The following was the vote for temporary chairman by counties:

Although the convention was adjourned to convene at 11 o'clock this morning, it was not until 11:30 o'clock that Timothy Spelley, chairman of the Democratic state central committee, called the assemblage to order. Even at that hour it was found that many of the delegates were not in attendance. Many of the most prominent men of the convention were in the hotel lobbies, headquarters and rooms, holding conferences and Chairman Spelley announced that a large contingent had not had time to return from Santa Cruz, where they attended the Native Sons' celebration.

When it was found that less than half the delegates were present a recess was declared until 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

It was 2:15 o'clock before the convention was called to order. Major Fitzgerald of Sacramento was introduced, and he gave a cordial address of welcome. There was noticeable absence of an invocation or prayer of any kind, with which conventions are usually opened.

"You are assembled here to perform grave and important duties," said Major Fitzgerald, "and I do not intend to interfere in your time with a long address-of-welcome. On behalf of Sacramento, I invite you to partake of the hospitality of the city. I trust that your stay will be a pleasant one, and that your fathers will be of lasting benefit to the state."

A vigorous speech was made by State Central Committeeman Spelley in his opening address.

A reference to William Jennings Bryan was greeted with prolonged cheers.

At this juncture the Sacramento delegation announced that it had selected for the purpose of expediting the organizations, the following temporary officers: Secretary, Edward Leake, of Woodland; assistant secretaries, J. H. Miller and Thomas Cleary; sergeant-at-arms, George Griffin.

The sixth congressional district has announced that it will be nominated for the purpose of expediting the organizations, the following temporary officers: Secretary, Edward Leake, of Woodland; assistant secretaries, J. H. Miller and Thomas Cleary; sergeant-at-arms, George Griffin.

When the roll was being called a roll-call arose among the members of the thirtieth assembly district as to how the thirteen votes of the delegation should be cast.

Former District Attorney Brington of San Francisco objected to the presence of William Bell in the delegation on the ground that Bell was a Republican and had sat in the convention at Santa Cruz. Bell was taking part in the argument over the balloting, but he finally left the hall when continued objections were made to his presence.

During the discussion the sergeant-at-arms were frequently called for and Jacobs of Stockton addressed the chairman and said: "Let's have order if we have to appoint every delegate a sergeant-at-arms."

On the subject of public ownership, the platform reported through Clarence J. Shearn, its chairman. The platform sets forth the fundamental idea of the league as independence of business or corporation control, and of any party subject to these.

On the subject of public ownership, the platform says: "The Independence League believes in the public ownership of public utilities that are natural monopolies. Holding that public utilities are to be confiscated what fully belongs to another, it stands for irreconcilable hostility to appropriation by corporations of franchise values created by the community and belonging to the community. Respect for local rights and home rule should authorize the enactment of statutes empowering all cities to acquire and operate public necessities."

A committee of fifteen on credentials was then appointed by the chairman.

The chairman was authorized to appoint a committee of fifty on platform, and a like number on permanent organization, and order of business.

At 4 o'clock a recess of half an hour was taken to allow the various committees to name their members for the committees.

At 4:45 an adjournment was taken until 8 o'clock.

HEARST'S LEAGUE MEETS

PRESS MEMBERSHIP CANNOT BE TAXED

State of Washington Court Decides Against Assessor in a Foreclosure Suit.

SPOKANE, Sept. 11.—Judge Kenman of the superior court today decided in the case of W. H. Cooley vs. Spokane county and city, that membership in the Associated Press cannot be taxed in this state. Cooley is publisher of the Morning Spokesman-Review. The assessor of this county, in 1904, assessed his membership at \$25,000, and a year later at \$30,000.

Cooley went into court to restrain the county treasurer from foreclosing on his membership to satisfy the tax. It was agreed that the Associated Press is a mutual company organized to gather and deliver news to its members; that it does not sell news, and is not organized to pay profits, and that its memberships are not taxed anywhere and could not legally be taxed here. Judge Kenman held that all the authorities were against the taxing of such memberships.

RUN WAS STARTED ON THE HIBERNIA

No Reason Found for Doubt of Stability of the Savings Bank.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 11.—For some unknown reason some of the depositors of the Hibernia Savings bank started a run on the bank today. The Hibernia is the biggest savings institution on the Pacific coast. It has 86,000 depositors and the deposits amount to over \$30,000,000. The bank has always been noted for its conservatism and is regarded as a strong institution.

25c Winsor Ties 17c

*Gottschall's***The Ready-to-Wear Sale**

Continues to draw the public. We could not offer you greater bargains, but for the reason we must have the room for the goods that arrive daily.

No other store offers you such inducements to purchase your fall suits right at the opening of the season at such little prices. Cost and former price has been eliminated. There are fast selling prices on them now. Many things not advertised selling at the little prices, so it pays to visit all sections of the store at all times.

Walking Skirts \$9.00.

Have just 150 to sell at this price. They are made of a good quality of melton, skirts that we have sold at \$3 and they will be sold in this sale at \$9.00

Walking Skirts \$2.98.

All wool worsted and Panama skirts in navy, green and black; skirts that we sell regular up to \$7.50; in this sale \$2.98

Coats \$8.75.

What you pay for a coat is not the greatest thing in the game of bargains; it is what you get.

There are mixtures, kerseys and meltons in the lot, some are of the long and others the short length models. It is a shame to sell them at this price, but there is only one thing for us to do and that is make room, so the price is \$8.75

Long Silk Gloves \$1.25

SIXTEEN BUTTON LENGTH, WITH DOUBLE TIP FINGERS. GLOVES THAT ARE SOLD IN OTHER STORES AT \$2.00. WHITE ONLY.

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Just see the saving you can make by buying now:

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69¢ Black Taffeta that sells at 90c.

79¢ Black Taffeta that sells at \$1.00.

89¢ Black Taffeta that sells at \$1.10.

98¢ Black Taffeta that sells at \$1.25.

98¢ Black Taffeta that sells at \$1.39.

\$1.19 Black Taffeta that sells at \$1.50.

\$1.29 Black Taffeta that sells at \$1.65.

\$1.45 Black Taffeta that sells at \$2.00.

\$1.57 Black Taffeta that sells at \$2.50.

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UPPER COURT PROCEEDINGS

Railroad Company Says Antonian Was Careless.

Declares His Own Negligence Cost Him Foot—Wong Wing is Arraigned.

That the accident which cost Paul Antonian a foot was due to his own carelessness, is the ground upon which the Southern Pacific company will fight his suit for damages. Antonian, while crossing the company's tracks on his bicycle, was knocked from it by an engine, which passed over one of his feet. He brought suit for damages, and the answer was yesterday filed by the railroad company's attorney, L. J. Cory. After denying all the allegations of the complaint, attributing the cause of the accident to the defendant, the answer states that but for Antonian's contributory negligence the accident would not have occurred. It states that when he crossed the track he did not look for the approach of a train and did not heed the usual warnings, but instead rode straight ahead at a rapid rate directly in the path of an oncoming train. The dismissal of the suit and the defendant's costs are asked for.

Pleads Not Guilty.

Wong Wing, under arrest on a charge of murdering another Chinaman in Tong Duck's fog, the joint last July, was arraigned yesterday before Judge Austin. Tong Duck attempted to open his resort before the owners of other gambling houses were prepared to open, and summary vengeance was at once sought by the rival establishments. A half dozen highlanders swooped down upon the gambling house and opened fire on the dealers. It is said that Wong Wing was one of the dealers, while the man he is accused of killing belonged to the invaders. Yesterday Wong Wing entered a plea of not guilty and his trial was set for October 8th. Crichton & St. John are his attorneys. Demurser Overruled.

Another step was taken yesterday in the famous Seroyef suit, when the claimant of Robert Nutting, one of the defendants, was overruled by Judge Austin. Nutting was given ten days in which to answer. The demurser was made on the usual ground of insufficiency of facts to constitute a cause of action.

Divorce Matters.

Two divorce cases tried before Judge Church yesterday went to the plaintiffs by default. John O. Michelsen sued Emma S. Michelsen on the ground of desertion. He and E. Olsen were the only witnesses to testify, the defendant not appearing in court. E. A. Williams represented Michelsen.

James M. Giles sued Lorraine Giles, also on the grounds of desertion. The plaintiff and P. M. Yost were the witnesses, the defendant in the case also not appearing and judgment as asked for being granted. E. E. Shepherd was Giles' attorney.

In the suit of W. M. Shortridge against Annie M. Shortridge, the defendant, through her attorneys, Everts & Ewing, filed a demurser to the complaint, alleging insufficiency of facts to constitute a cause for action.

The suit of Martha E. Cole against Louis E. Cole, was dismissed on motion of Everts & Ewing, attorneys for the plaintiff.

Sent to Napa Asylum.

Mrs. Gertrude Myers, who several weeks ago was examined for insanity, was yesterday committed by Judge Austin to the asylum at Napa. The complaint against Mrs. Myers was made by her husband, who alleged that she attempted to kill him with a knife. When Mrs. Myers was first examined some of her relatives agreed to take her home and care for her. They found the task beyond them and she was yesterday brought into court again. Drs. W. P. Miller and St. George Hopkins examined her and found that her mental condition was not improved, and she was therefore committed.

Old Suit Dismissed.

Nearly three years ago Hattie A. McCullough fell in lightning from a Fresno city street car and was severely injured. She brought suit against the street railway company for \$60,000 and asked in addition \$425 for doctor bills and hospital fees.

Her complaint that the accident was due to negligence on the part of the company, as the step descending to the ground was wet, causing her to slip and fall.

Yesterday a request for the dismissal of the suit was filed, signed by H. H. Welsh, M. C. Harrelson and H. V. Morchance, attorneys for the plaintiff, and Short & Cook, attorneys for the defendant company.

Probate Matters.

The petition of John Clyde Marlowe to be appointed administrator of the estate of Scott Marlowe, deceased, was granted. The estate is worth about \$7000. The administrator was required to give a bond of \$2200.

In the estate of Elisha B. Martin, Bascom B. Martin was appointed administrator, qualifying with a bond for \$3000. E. A. Vaughn, L. S. Stepp and D. H. Hancock were appointed appraisers.

The consent of John Scheld, Jr., and Anna Mary Scheld for the distribution of the estate of their deceased father to their mother, Mrs. Barbara Van Allen, was filed. A decree of distribution of the estate to Mrs. Van Allen as the sole devisee of the deceased was also filed. James Galtner is Mrs. Van Allen's attorney.

The final accounting of John Schmidt, as administrator of the estate of Rasmus C. Beck, was filed yesterday, together with a decree of distribution of the estate to Perle E. Beck, the widow. The estate consists of a lot in Washington colony.

Otto Schwarz was appointed guardian of the persons and estate of Emma and Little, Walter and Abbott Schwarz.

W. H. Hurst, as guardian of the persons and estate of Dolly M. Swift, Martha M. Martin, Israel J. Martin and Myrtle J. Martin, was authorized to sell the real estate for the maintenance and education of the children.

Alma F. Murphy was appointed administrator of the estate of Theodore F. Murphy.

AFFAIRS AT COALINGA

Oil and Politics Both Topics of Interest.

A Strong Sentiment for O'Donnell and County Division.

E. F. Bernhard is back from a trip to Coalinga, where he has oil interests. Mr. Bernhard stated last night that everything was very quiet in the oil fields, but that there is hope of better things. The price of fuel oil has been advanced to 15 cents and the demand was strong.

It is the general opinion of the producers, says Mr. Bernhard, that the present wells in a short time could not supply sufficient oil to meet the demand, in which event the price would necessarily advance and if long time contracts could then be made drilling would begin again.

The Lucretia well, which has just been completed and put in good condition, is attracting much attention at the present time and has transferred the center of interest from the East side district to the West side. It has developed a large area of oil bearing territory which heretofore was generally presumed to be outside of the oil district.

The well is about 2600 feet deep and flows very uniformly from 800 to 900 barrels a day. This, in the opinion of many, indicates that there is a large producing oil sand lower than and to the west of the Coalinga field.

The Lucile is located on land belonging to Geo. J. Warlow, and adjacent to a very large tract owned by Welsh, Maxfield, Lisenby and Brix. In fact there can scarcely any question that there is a very large oil deposit under the town of Coalinga.

It is rumored over there and probably based on facts that the Standard Oil Co. is surveying and obtaining rights of way for a new pipe line to the coast, and will perhaps take up the pipe line extending from Bakersfield to where the Coalinga line intercepts it and relay it between the Coalinga field and the ocean.

Asked what was doing in politics yesterday, Mr. Bernhard replied that he didn't have much time to discuss politics. One man, he remarked, had told him that incorporation had killed the town of Coalinga; that before incorporating there were three dance houses, running and a man could get a game almost anywhere, but now everything had been closed down and a lot of enterprising people had left town.

"So far as the general political situation is concerned," said Mr. Bernhard, "the only subject mentioned is Tom O'Donnell for the assembly and county division. The remainder of the candidates on either ticket and other issues are not considered. Those in favor of being annexed to Kings county are very enthusiastic and regardless of party affiliations are making a strong fight for Mr. O'Donnell.

"One very prominent and enthusiastic supporter of the county division movement, stated that they already had the promise of the chairmanship of the County Boundaries committee of the senate if they could secure the election of Magnira of Kings to the senate. That they had quietly begun the division fight at Santa Cruz."

PARCHED AND PENITENT THEY EXPLAIN TO BRIGGS

Goodly Number of Thirsties Appear Before Tribunal of Justice.

Yesterday morning dawned with a number of parched and penitent ones who had accumulated in the basilica since Saturday night, Monday being a legal holiday, meant that some of the culprits were left to cool off for a day longer than usual, but this was taken into consideration by Judge Briggs in passing sentences.

Andy Cummings told the court that he was sorry with such an evident ring of sincerity, that he had the chance he pleaded for. He was picked up very drunk on the streets two or three days ago.

William Richardson said he had never been arrested before, and was, with another first offender, turned loose. The other man was C. R. Johnson.

Amos Anderson and Louis Marion disturbed the peace, and it cost them five days each.

George Monroe and Robert Warden like beer better than work. They were arrested on a vagrancy charge after successfully eluding honest toil for some time. Both pleaded hard for a chance and got turned loose on a suspended sentence of thirty days.

Frank Saunders admitted that he had a good time with the boys on Saturday night when arrested by the police. He was fined \$5.

Frank Rider is a hobo who drifted into town a few days ago. He had been here before and was recognized by the effervescent Scotty of Death Valley, in hopes of picking some of the largesse he was dying about. He was floated out of town with thirty days, hanging over his head. Another of his ilk was Dan Pern, who, in addition to being (said to be) worthless and incorrigibly lazy, is also suspected of robbing a Jim's cabin near the Santa Fe railroad depot. To this charge he pleaded not guilty, and held in default of \$100 bail. His case will be investigated. Nothing particularly bad is known against the man beyond being shiftless and lazy.

E. Fuginotto parted with \$3 for riding his bicycle on the railroad.

CHILDREN EVERYWHERE

Schools Opened and Classes Enrolled.

Overflow from Grammar School Will Have Class in High School Building.

Fresno seems to be besieged by them. Yesterday afternoon the stationery stores were packed to the very sidewalks. Up and down the principal streets children were to be seen everywhere, far outnumbering the business people that generally hold sway. Girls were the most conspicuous. In all directions they skipped until late in the evening. Back and forth from one book store to another they ran; laughing, chatting, meeting old friends and school mates.

The Pied-piper of Fresno had started his piping. The schools had opened and the usual hustle-bustle followed.

At 9 o'clock the classes were called to order and the enrollment taken. As many stay away the first day and get their desired information from brothers, sisters, or friends, nothing definite can be told as to the exact number until later in the week. The overflow at the Washington grammar school will amount to about 50 pupils. These will be taken care of in the high school building under a special teacher.

All the morning was spent in assigning lessons and in drills to familiarize the pupils with the routine of the class room. No classes were held in the afternoon in order to allow the children to get their required books and stationery in town.

At 3 o'clock a general teachers meeting was held at Washington grammar school. Superintendent McLane discussed the work for the year, and Mr. Wahlberg, the new instructor in music, explained his course. After the general meeting grade meetings were held. These grade meetings will be held every month throughout the winter for masters of discussion, and from these discussions important matters will be layed before the superintendent.

The well is about 2600 feet deep and flows very uniformly from 800 to 900 barrels a day. This, in the opinion of many, indicates that there is a large producing oil sand lower than and to the west of the Coalinga field.

The Lucile is located on land belonging to Geo. J. Warlow, and adjacent to a very large tract owned by Welsh, Maxfield, Lisenby and Brix. In fact there can scarcely any question that there is a very large oil deposit under the town of Coalinga.

It is rumored over there and probably based on facts that the Standard Oil Co. is surveying and obtaining rights of way for a new pipe line to the coast, and will perhaps take up the pipe line extending from Bakersfield to where the Coalinga line intercepts it and relay it between the Coalinga field and the ocean.

The surviving relatives are Mrs. J. A. Lane and Mrs. Sylvia England, his nieces and Robert Snelson, his nephew. The funeral will take place this morning from the undertaking chapel of Stephens & Bean at 10 o'clock.

Birthday Surprise.

Sunday afternoon Mrs. G. Erlandson was pleasantly surprised at her home on Anna street, the occasion being her birthday. She received many handsome and useful presents. Delicious refreshments were served and the guests departed at a late hour wishing Mrs. Erlandson many happy returns of the day. The following were present: Mr. and Mrs. G. Erlandson, Florence and Edith Erlandson, Mr. and Mrs. G. Penrose, Mr. and Mrs. J. Pearson, Mr. and Mrs. P. Bylund, Mr. and Mrs. E. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. L. Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. A. Carlson, Mr. G. Newman, Miss A. Bylund, Mr. Lauritz Nelson, Bertie Nelson, Frank Pearson.

EARTHQUAKES ARE FELT IN ECUADOR

Inhabitants Abandoned their Houses and Spent the Night in the Streets.

GUAYAQUIL, Ecuador, Sept. 11.—It is reported here that three earthquakes shocks were felt Monday morning in Ambato, capital of the province of Tunguragua. A fourth shock was felt in the evening. The inhabitants of the town abandoned their

Such Crowds, such enthusiasm, such buying as marked the Opening of the Second Week of our Great Removal Sale yesterday was never known before



We simply outdid ourselves yesterday. We beat all previous sales records. Even exceeded the sales of the day when this great sale first started. Sales usually lag after a few days. This one keeps on increasing. The attendance grows larger daily as it progresses. Our sales keep climbing. It is due to these facts: The buying public knows the actual value of merchandise. It also knows the genuineness of our sales. The valuation of an advertised article is presented with the utmost conservatism. We are offering the remainder of our summer goods at prices that don't begin to cover our cost and hundreds of the very newest fall garments in suits, coats and skirts at substantial reductions that save all the way from 20 to 30 per cent. Any wonder we are so busy? A splendid opportunity for you to take advantage of.

\$4.95 for New Fall Skirts Worth Up to \$8.00

There are just twenty in the lot, and our advice to you is come in the morning if you are interested. They are made of pretty medium weight suiting in the popular small plaids, in several different shades of grey, also several styles of plaid. They are the very newest fall garments; in the house but a few days. Good values up to \$8.00; while they last \$4.95; alterations extra.

More Prince Chap Suits at \$9.95 Worth Up to \$30

There are about ten left and we repeat the offering at 9.95. They are positively the best values you can find at \$2.50, \$25.00 and \$30.00. Of the newest fall fabrics and the new and correct models Prince Chap, and you can buy them while they last at \$9.95; alterations extra. They are of the beautiful dark plaids, also pretty greys, satin and taffeta lined.

Beautiful New Suits at \$15.00, \$17.50, \$20.00 Fine New Tourist Coats at \$6.95, \$9.75, \$13.50

You will find every one of them underpriced fully 20 per cent. Don't delay getting your new suit or coat, when by buying now at this sale you can save this amount. Our assortments are by far the largest we have ever had at this time of the year before. In fact it is because we have more goods in the house than our present quarters can accommodate that we are offering these piece concessions.

Rummage Sale 25c for 98c for White Dressing Values Up to \$3.00

We have gathered several small lots of various articles of which there is not enough to advertise separately and offer your choice 25c for values up to \$3.00. Included in the lot are crocheted shawls, up to \$3.00. Women's wool sweaters up to \$3.00. Some unused waists and underwear used on display; former mercerized petticoats. Take any one article at 25c. Limit one to each purchaser. Sale at 9.30. Not before.

\$3.95 for Fine \$5 Silk Petticoats Values Up to \$3.00

Limit one to purchaser. There are but twenty in all—our regular \$5.00 silk Petticoats, but you can't match them under \$6.50 in quality anywhere else. Of good quality taffeta silk, that's soft not load ed. with dressing in changeable colors of navy, red, brown and other leading stocks; wide tailored flounce. Choice while they last \$3.95.

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PRINTER'S INK PAYS

ANTI-FOREIGN MOVEMENT

Increasing Greatly Among the Chinese.

Investments of the English Are Affected Especially By Propaganda.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 11.—Mail advices received here from China are disquieting to Americans having financial interests in the Orient. There is no abatement of the anti-foreign feeling, and the animosity is no longer confined to Americans, but includes all foreigners except Japanese.

A formidable party has arisen and is conducting an active propaganda. It is known as "Restorer of Rights," and its purpose is to drive the foreigners out of business in China and to that end begin by rendering valueless the foreign investments.

In some quarters the Chinese government is alleged to sympathize with the movement; and at any rate, capitalists interested in important concessions are complaining that the Chinese officials are deliberately destroying their holdings and violating their agreements at every turn.

More than any other nationality, the English are said to be injuriously affected by this attitude of the Chinese government. The movement to destroy or regain control of concessions held by foreigners is said to have begun when the famous Hankow-Canton railway concession was regained by the Chinese government by purchase from the American concessionaries, and since then every new enterprise in the way of public utilities in China has been offered and managed by the Chinese themselves, foreign experience and direction being utilized only to the point where the Chinese were unable to acquire the knowledge necessary to operate them.

The English are complaining that in violation of an agreement the Chinese government is constructing a railroad from Shanghai southward with the deliberate purpose of destroying the value of an English concession and greatly injuring Hongkong, and there are allegations that running concessions granted to British subjects have been held up and the concessionaries embarrassed.

Some of the great British interests are uniting in strong appeals to their government to adopt a stronger attitude and protect them in their Chinese enterprises.

UNIONS STILL IN ALLIANCE

Miners Will Not Desert Unskilled Laborers.

Met in Prize Fight Pavilion to Consider Quarrel With Goldfield Sun.

GOLDFIELD, Nev., Sept. 11.—Every producing mine in the Goldfield district was closed down today and every producing lease is also shut down, under an agreement with the owners of the ground that their leases will be extended the time of their enforced idleness. This action was taken as the result of a special meeting of miners yesterday, held to consider the question as to whether the miners' union would still continue to support the Industrial Workers of the World, an organization of non-skilled labor that has been very active.

Many of the miners closed down for the afternoon shift to allow the miners to attend, believing that a full attendance would result in the repudiation of the Industrial Workers of the World by the miners' organization. The meeting was held in the open air pavilion lately erected for the Gans-Nelson fight, and was attended by 1200 miners.

The meeting lasted all afternoon and late into the evening, with the result that the miners voted to continue to recognize the Industrial Workers of the World. This latter organization is under the auspices of the Western Federation of Miners. It was organized to bring all unskilled laborers into a union to be controlled by the Miners' Union. The Industrial Workers of the World exists only in communities where the Miners' Union is strong and was formed, presumably, to back up any fight in which the Miners' Union might be engaged.

There have been no differences between the mine owners and miners in this district. But the Industrial Workers of the World commenced a boycott upon a local daily newspaper, which is owned by the same person who owns the Tonopah daily paper. This later paper had serious trouble with the Industrial Workers of the World in Tonopah. A boycott was started against the Tonopah paper and was taken up against the Goldfield paper by the Goldfield branch of the Industrial Workers of the World.

The management of the paper was harassed to the extent of its managers and employees being threatened with deportation. Citizens soon became irritated over the situation, and fist fights and heated discussions were common occurrences. Finally some of the unions, notably the carpenters and paper hangers, got out into the street and protested the men trying to sell the paper in question, and backed them up with guns.

This occurred only one night, and the paper again failed to appear up on the streets as during the past month.

It is thought the trouble will be settled.

S. B. Almond Paste.

Makes good complexions, preserves and beautifies the skin. Price 50c at Smith Bros' Drug store.

Sweet peach, rose, carnations. Miss Kate Parsons, 1817 Fresno. Phone Mayo 400.

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Are the All Wool, worsted Suits, Guaranteed fast color, Guaranteed to hold their shape, Guaranteed not to fade, that we are offering to you for \$12.50, twelve and 50-100 dollars, including the great Blue Serge Suit. These Suits are absolutely correct in style, make and fit. Double breasted or single breasted models.

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GLOVES

SAN DIEGO, Sept. 11.—The big steamer Arizion of the American-Hawaiian line arrived today from New York bringing 1800 tons of freight for this port which will be distributed over Southern California. The steamer goes to San Francisco to discharge the remainder of her cargo.

PRIMARY AND REFERENDUM.

An attempt is being made to confuse the direct primary, which is a popular and promising experiment, with "direct legislation," which is a revolutionary freak of the referendums. An organization calling itself the "National Federation for People's Rule," is sending circulars to candidates for congress and legislative offices, making arguments in favor of the direct primary, and asking pledges in favor of direct legislation, apparently oblivious of the vast difference between the two things. The portion demanding pledges is obviously aimed at the penal statutes of California, which expressly forbid either demanding or giving such pledges, and make the candidate giving them not only guilty of a misdemeanor, but also disqualify from holding the office to which he may be elected. By the statute of March 2, 1897 (Stats. 1897, p. 53) it is provided that:

"Section 1. It shall be unlawful for any person, either individually or as an officer or member of any committee or association, to demand or solicit of any candidate for the legislature, or of any candidate for supervisor, or of any candidate for school director, or of any candidate for any legislative body, that he shall vote for any particular bill or specific measure which may come before any such legislative body to which he may be elected; provided, always, that this inhibition shall not in any case apply to the pledges exacted of a candidate by the platform or resolutions of any convention by which any such candidate may be nominated."

"Section 2. It shall be unlawful for any candidate for the legislature, or for any candidate for supervisor, or for any candidate for school director, or for any candidate for any other legislative body, to sign or give any pledge that he will vote for or against any particular bill or specific measure that may be brought before any such legislative body; provided, always, that this prohibition shall not apply to any pledge or promise that any such candidate may give to a convention by which he may be nominated for any such office, or to those who may sign a certificate for his nomination."

"Section 3. Any person violating any provision of this act shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and any candidate violating any provision of this act shall, in addition, be disqualified from holding the office to which he may be elected."

This whole procedure, then, is prohibited by law, and any candidate has, in this law, a complete and sufficient answer to any such demand that he take the stand and answer "yes" or "no" to certain purposely misleading questions. The demand, even if legal, is manifestly improper. The questions demand that the candidate pledge himself specifically to work and vote for the immediate adoption of a system of direct voting, through the initiative and referendum, (suggestions for said system set forth in the accompanying bill) and that he will obey referendum instructions. A blank form of reply is furnished, giving space for a simple "yes" and "no," with no room for explanations or qualifications. Probably not one candidate in hundred could truthfully and intelligently state his position by either "yes" or "no," as these questions are worded, and the wording is purposely so chosen as to produce this difficulty. The effort is to give the candidate the choice of saying either (1) "I will accept, without question or amendment, the exact orders given me by a committee of the small minority of my constituents making this demand," or, (2) "I do not believe in the rule of the people, and propose to defy the wishes of my constituents." Questions purposely so worded as to admit of only these two preposterous replies are not honestly asked and can not be intelligently answered. They are quite properly prohibited by law, and should be ignored by all candidates with minds of their own, even in the absence of any such law.

Even more disingenuous is the artful confusion between the direct primary which many people favor, and the rest are willing to try, and "direct legislation," which aims at nothing less than the abolition of the American system of representative government. Party conventions are no part of American constitutions, nor essential to our system. They were adopted as a relief from the evils of congressional and legislative caucus dictation, and served their purpose. Now that they have developed evils of their own, the field is open for something better, and the direct primary is at least promising enough to be worth trying. Under our system, organized government must have one point of contact, and can have only one, with the unorganized people. At every other point, even the election, contact has already begun to be organic. The unorganized point of contact, at present, is the present caucus—theoretically a good place, but practically not a very effective one. If it has now become mechanically and politically possible to bring that point of contact one step nearer, at the primaries, so much the better. It is a pure question of practical expediency, and involves no theories of government whatever.

"Direct legislation," on the other hand, is intended to abolish the system of representative government. So far as legislative officers are retained, they are to be reduced to mere pawns. The people, directly, without agents or representatives, are to exercise all

the functions of government. Good or bad, this system has no resemblance to our American republic. It is a revolutionary proposition, pure and simple, advocated by those who believe in abolishing the American republic, because they think it is the quickest means to that end. Few Americans, when they realize what it means, will favor such a change. Those who should distinctly realize that it is revolution they are favoring.

By one of those freak accidents which nobody can foresee, or understand after it happens, the news dispatch in regard to a San Francisco labor riot was left out of yesterday's Republican, while an editorial commenting on the dispatch, was printed. The news item was put in type, but the headline somehow got misplaced and then the whole article got lost in the shuffle. The general facts in regard to the riot, in which several men were shot but none killed, were referred to in the editorial, but the news item, giving details, ought of course also to have been printed.

PROCEEDINGS AGAINST STANDARD OIL

President of Pierce-Waters Company Testified to Its Methods In Controlling Business.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 11.—The hearing in the outer proceedings of the state of Missouri against the Waters-Pierce Oil Company, the Standard Oil Company and the Republic Oil company was resumed today.

H. Clay Pierce, chairman of the executive committee of the Waters-Pierce company, who was on the witness stand all day yesterday, was the principal witness again today. Attorney General Hadley asked:

"When did Mr. Tinsley come to St. Louis to take charge or to become connected with the management of the Waters-Pierce Oil Company?"

Answer—"Mr. Tinsley came to St. Louis, as I remember, in April, 1904, to assume charge of the accounting department as successor to J. P. Gruet, who had been secretary of the Waters-Pierce company, but because of an infirmity had been disqualified. From the time he came in 1904 until he left finally, Mr. Tinsley remained in the office of the Waters-Pierce Oil company, but not at all times in connection with the management of the Pierce-Waters Oil company. I think in February, 1904, he was elected vice president; several months before Mr. Van Buren became the owner of the stock or before it was transferred to him on the stock books."

Question—"What was the date when Mr. Tinsley began to assume control over the affairs and operation of the company?"

Answer—"Immediately on Mr. Finlay's departure for Europe for the purpose of restoring his health, Mr. Tinsley assumed charge of the Waters-Pierce Oil company in all departments. He took away from General Manager Ackert the management of the Michigan division and assumed entire charge of it himself. He sent to Mexico as manager under the general manager, an employee of the Standard Oil company from Cleveland, who was entirely unfamiliar with Mexico. The resignation of the general manager in Mexico left that department practically without a proper head. Mr. Tinsley proceeded at different dates to remove important officers, or rather employees of the company, the heads of departments, and to substitute in their places inefficient, incompetent and inexperienced men. The number of changes in the management of the company equalled 200 or 300 in the aggregate, and in nearly all cases those substituted were Standard Oil company employees. When this information came to my knowledge sufficiently to enable me to take action I protested to the officials of the Standard Oil company in New York against the unwarranted action of Mr. Tinsley in violation of the agreement entered into between the Standard Oil company and myself at the time of the organization of the Waters-Pierce Oil company in 1878 and the implied continuation of that understanding at the time the present Waters-Pierce Oil company was organized."

CRIMES AND ACCIDENTS

Robbers Secured \$10,000.

AKLEY, Minn., Sept. 11.—Robbers entered the Bank of Akley early today, blew open the safe, secured \$10,000 and escaped.

Stenland's Return.

GIBRALTAR, Sept. 11.—The steamer Prinz Adelheit, which is due here Wednesday, will call at Gibraltar to pick up and take to New York Paul O. Stenland, former president of the Milwaukee Avenue State Bank of Chicago, who was taken into custody in Morocco.

Saved by the Fire.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 11.—George Roberts, wanted in San Francisco to answer charge of robbery, was ordered discharged from custody today by Superior Judge Dunn. The records of the case against him were destroyed in the April conflagration.

ROOT HONORED BY PERUVIANS

Yellow Fever Will Probably Prevent His Stopping in Ecuador.

LIMA, Peru, Sept. 11.—The mayor of Lima has presented Mrs. Ethel Root with a golden brooch in a mounting of diamonds and rubies, upon which is enamelled the coat of arms of the city of Lima.

At the banquet in honor of Secretary Root last night the secretary expressed pleasure at visiting Peru and referred to the important commercial advantages that would come to Peru by the construction of the Panama canal.

After the banquet Mr. Root drove with President Pardo to witness the illuminations.

SAYS PUPILS WERE HAZED

Grammar Pupils Said to Mis-treat, New Comers—Nothing to It.

Parent Indignant at Treatment of Children.

An indignant parent sent a protest to the Republican last evening against a practice of hazing said to have developed among the grammar grade pupils. Here is the communication:

"I wish you would write an article in regard to pupils of the school hazing new pupils in the grammar grades.

My children are black and blue from

results encountered at school today by older scholars hazing the new ones.

They were hit with wire, clubs, etc.

"A PARENT."

Superintendent McLane was asked about the complaint of hazing and he said: "I have not seen or heard of any hazing. There certainly has not been anything of that sort within the schools or on the grounds. If there had been it would have been stopped immediately, the hazing punished, and the matter reported to me."

"There may be some truth in the report, however. What probably has happened is that the new pupils were waylaid on their way home from school and picked upon by the older ones. This has happened in the past, but those inflicted refused to tell who the guilty ones were, saying they were afraid too, consequently we have been unable to do anything. We cannot send a teacher home with every pupil."

"If the children picked upon would tell who did the hazing we would be able to stop it, but if they refuse to tell or dare not, nothing can be done. As I said before, I am quite sure nothing of this sort has been done within the school yard boundary."

"Very often it happens that one boy will attack another, and, getting the worst of the fight, will go home and complain of the rough treatment he has received, refusing to tell, however, who the parties were, knowing himself to have been the aggressor. I shall look into the matter, however, and keep a close watch in the future."

The Parental School.

When questioned concerning the doings of the parental school here, Mr. McLane said: "At present there is only one boy there. He was brought in by his father, who said that the boy's mother was dead and that he could do nothing with him and that he would like the school to take charge of the boy. Mr. Sessions, who will have charge of the school, will spend the next two or three weeks, and perhaps, till Christmas time, in going the rounds of the schools and hunting up all those missing from the rolls. He will act the part of truant officer until every child is attending school that should."

The Board of Education held a meeting last evening in the Washington grammar school to talk over repairs. Nothing of importance was done other than to authorize Mr. Clark of the building committee to put up sheds at the Lincoln and Jefferson schools.

Inopportune Oiling.

On leaving the meeting a member of the board severely criticized the street department. He said: "Here they have waited until school opens before oiling the streets. Today three sides of this block were freshly oiled and tomorrow over a thousand children will track through it and fill the school buildings with dirt. It's bound to happen, you can't keep children of that age out of mud or dirt. The streets in the near vicinity of the schools should have been oiled several weeks ago."

That Caused Reduction in Republican Majorities.

Complete Returns of Maine Election Will Not Be Had for Some Days.

Contrary to the expectations of his friends and fellow Masons of this city, the remains of the late Henry Phillip Hedges, who died in Ogden four days ago, did not arrive here last night. A delegation of Knights Templar were present at the Southern Pacific depot to await the incoming of the train and escort the body to the home as a guard of honor from the Masonic fraternity, but notification arrived to the effect that the corpse would arrive some time today.

The funeral will take place probably not before Friday, and the hour has not yet been set. The place may be from the undertaking chapel of Shannon & Beall, or it may be decided to hold it from the family residence, and thence to the Baptist church. The obsequies will doubtless be impressive and imposing, and will be one of the most notable Masonic ceremonies for the dead witnessed in this city during many years. The deceased was a Mason of the thirty-third degree and held office in addition.

PIONEER CELEBRATES 75TH BIRTHDAY.

Nathan Hart, Sr., Well Known in Fresno, Crossed the Plains in 1850.

Nathan Hart, Sr., a pioneer of California and for the past eleven years a resident of Fresno, celebrated his 75th birthday yesterday.

Mr. Hart is a native of Illinois. He came to California in 1859 after a two years journey across the plains. For forty-five years he was a resident of Santa Cruz. He is a staunch Democrat and is proud to claim having voted for every Democratic nominee since 1856.

Mr. Hart has spent most of his life as a farmer. He delights in hunting and killed much big game in the early days. The last coondoor killed in the county fell before his rifle. It is still to be seen in a business house on Main street.

Mr. Hart is the father of a large family. Six sons and a daughter reside in Fresno.

SAN DIEGO, Sept. 11.—The big steamer Arizona of the American-Hawaiian line arrived today from New York bringing 1800 tons of freight for this port which will be distributed over Southern California. The steamer goes to San Francisco to discharge the remainder of her cargo.

DRUGS
THE HOUSE THAT
SAVES YOU MONEY

Never Before Such Brisk

Selling of Ladies' Garments

There were busy scenes all day yesterday in the Ladies' Garment Department, in response to our ad of sacrifice prices on all remaining summer goods.

Still splendid choosing today among these:

Ladies' \$15, \$17.50, \$20 and \$22.50 Silk Suits now \$7.50.

Ladies' \$7.95 Wash Suits now \$2.98

Ladies' \$4.68 Wash Suits now \$1.98

Silk Shirt Waists Suits Worth up to \$20 now \$5

Ladies' \$10 Accordion Pleated Skirts \$1.98

Ladies' \$10 and \$15 Mohair and Serge Skirts \$7.35

\$1.18 and \$1.38 Wash Skirts are now 68c

Ladies' \$10, \$12 and \$15 Silk Underskirts now \$5

Ladies' \$3.50 and \$5 Silk Waists now \$1.98

Children's \$1.25 to \$1.75 Gingham Dresses 98c

Children's 75c and \$1 Dresses now 45c

Ladies' \$1 Percale Wrappers now 48c

\$1.25 Kimonos are Selling for 55c

Any Waist Worth up to \$1 now 38c

Any Waist Worth up to \$2 now 68c

Any Waist Worth up to \$3 now 98c

Ladies' \$3.98 Silk Petticoats now \$1.90

Wash Skirts Worth up to \$4 now 50c

PROHIBITION WAS ISSUE

That Caused Reduction in Republican Majorities.

Complete Returns of Maine Election Will Not Be Had for Some Days.

Portland, Me., Sept. 11.—With fifty towns and plantations missing out of 520 in the state, unofficial returns show that Governor William T. Cobb received a plurality of 7,391 in yesterday's election. The vote of 420 towns heard from gives Governor Cobb, Republican, 67,548; Davis, Democrat, 60,132.

Most of the missing localities are accessible only by canoe or stage and may not be heard from for two or three days. If Governor Cobb holds office in the missing towns his plurality will approximate 9,000, but this will be the smallest plurality received by any governor since 1854.

In the second congressional district, 114 out of 123 towns gave Charles Littlefield, Republican, 18,385, against 17,201 votes cast for Daniel J. McGillicuddy, Democrat. The Republican plurality shows a loss of 4,462, compared with the vote of 4 years ago. In nearly all of the sixteen counties the Democrats elected at least a portion of the local tickets and in some they made a clean sweep. It is believed that many recounts may be necessary on account of the closeness of the vote.

PORTLAND, Me., Sept. 11.—The result of the election in this state yesterday, when the Republican plurality for governor which usually approximates 25,000 was reduced to about 8,000, while at the same time the total vote was greatly increased over the figures of four years ago, is attributed to popular feeling over the operation of the prohibitory liquor laws. Although the Republicans re-elected Governor Cobb and all the four congressmen and will have a working control of the legislature, the plurality was so generally reduced as to cause surprise. Governor Cobb and Congressman Littlefield in whose district the most vigorous battle of the campaign was waged and whose majority was reduced from that of four years ago by several thousand, are of the opinion that the Sturgis law providing for the enforcement of the existing prohibitory law by state liquor deputies, was the leading factor in the result.

The Democrats made a resounding endorsement of the liquor amendment to the people, a part of their platform, while the Republicans stood squarely for endorsement of the

prohibitory plank and its strict enforcement.

The city of Lewiston was one of the most important factors in reducing Littlefield's plurality, for it gave to McGillicuddy a vote of 1,430 in excess of that given to Littlefield. Four years ago Littlefield divided votes evenly with his Democratic opponent.

Of a more startling nature was the vote for governor. Cobb failed to carry his home city, Rockland, where Davis received a plurality of seventeen. Davis was the capital of the state went Democratic by a small margin. Sixteen out of the twenty cities in the state went Democratic. Two years ago when the candidates for governor were same as this year, Cobb carried eighteen of the twenty cities.

Getting Insurance Jury.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 11.—Considerable difficulty was experienced today in the United States circuit court in selecting jurors for the trial of the case of the Levi Strauss Realty Company against the trans-Atlantic Fire Insurance Company of Hamburg, Germany. Only five jurors were secured, and an adjournment was had until tomorrow at 2 p.m.

The Novelty theater is now giving two performances nightly, the first beginning at eight o'clock and lasting an hour and fifteen minutes. The second performance begins promptly at the close of the first. This arrangement permits of those attending the second performance getting home in good season. The bill this week is an excellent one and should not be missed.

That Painful Corn.

New hand made
street hat today.



\$2.50 shirt waists
today. Special
\$1.25.

New Fall Dress Goods and Waistings Latest Novelties for the Coming Season

It is always our aim to show the new goods first, and this season we are better prepared than ever with the latest novelties of the year. It would take a whole newspaper to describe the splendor of our new dress goods. We invite the inspection of all the Fresno ladies to our magnificent showing now ready awaiting your pleasure, at our ever popular prices.

A FEW EXTRA GOOD THINGS

36 Inch Shadow Plaids, 58¢

A magnificent assortment of the newest designs in 36 inch wool mixtures, in all popular shadow plaid effects, in grey, brown and green; correct copies of French designs. Specially priced at 53¢

44 Inch Plaid Effects at \$1

This magnificent new fabric is a happy extended plaid effect in delightful shadings of grey, brown, green and the late red colorings; full 44 inches wide and of the finest texture; one bound to be popular this fall ... \$1.00

44 Inch Helvetian Plaids, \$1.25

A stunning, showy shadow plaid of finest texture, in several shades of grey; ever popular and most durable for this country; full 44 inches wide and destined to be the correct thing this fall; special value ... \$1.25

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The sweetest cloth brought out this season, a French novità in large rainbow effect, with bold and invisible plaids intermingled in pretty color combinations; grey, red and green effects

Silk and Wool Waistings, 50¢

One of the newest fabrics this season is dainty silk and wool fabric for shirt waist, called "Gloucester" waist, 27 inches wide; soft and clingy in thin striped plaids, white and cream grounds, with lavender, blue, grey, green, pink, brown and black plaid effects; and specially priced

50¢

Silk Plaid Waist, \$1.25

A beautiful assortment of satin stripe plaid waistings silks, in endless variety of color combinations; rich, warm fall colorings, tonystylish and exclusive ... \$1.25

Special Sale of Silk Petticoats \$5.50 and \$6.50 Values \$4.39

Ladies' chiffon taffeta petticoats, in navy, golden-brown, garnet and black; full cut; made with deep ruffle and shirred headings; well made; our regular \$5.50 and \$6.00 values; special for today ... \$4.39

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Mercerized satin petticoats, in plain and black and black and white effects; about 40 different styles; a drummer's road samples; all in good condition; \$2.00 and \$2.50 values; special for today ... \$1.25

Four Good School Bargains Today

Boys' School Shoes

Boys' Casco calf lace shoes with extension soles, low school heels; all solid leather throughout, a rattling good school shoe, sizes 8 to 13 1/2; special today ... \$1.99

Sizes 1 to 2, special today ... \$1.19

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Ladies' \$2.00 Shoes, \$1.59

Ladies' vici kid lace shoes, either straight lace or blucher cut extension soles, Cuban heels, a stylish shoe for young ladies; special ... \$1.59

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Misses' vici kid lace school shoes, neat, stylish, a good, substantial shoe for every day wear; much reduced for today.

Sizes 5 1/2 to 8, special ... \$1.99

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Sizes 11 1/2 to 12, special ... \$1.10

Ladies' \$2.50 Shoes, \$1.98

A large assortment of ladies' French vici kid lace shoes, in either light flexible or extension soles Cuban or military heels, straight lace or blucher cut, all regular \$2.50 values, special today \$1.98

Special Sale of Enameled Ware in the Basement

Special sale of high grade, double coated enamel ware; strictly first grade article; no seconds. Every article in both lots useful and about half the regular price.

Lot 1, 25¢

Pudding pans, preserving kettles, covered sauce kettles, wash basins, lipped sauce pans, tea and coffee pots, etc.

Lot 2, 10c

Dippers, cups, mugs, sauce pans, mixing bowls, pudding pans, mixing spoons, pie plates, etc.

Faucets out of Order?

Does the wash basin need any fixing? Toilet in good order? Every weak place should be given prompt attention at the first ailing symptom.

Send for Us.

and you will be sure of a permanent cure of the trouble. You'll find it much more economical to make small repairs before they become a serious mishap.

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PERSONAL MENTION.

Burton Boyle of Hanford is at the Hughes.

D. L. Bachant has returned from the North where he had been following the races.

O. S. Fisher of Red Bluff is at the Grand Central.

E. L. Durham of Los Angeles is registered at the Sequoia.

C. C. McCleab of Eureka is at the Grand Central.

J. S. Baumber of Fowler is stopping at the Commercial.

Walter Fry, superintendent of the Sequoia national park, arrived in Fresno last evening on a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Griffin of Selma left yesterday for Sacramento. Mr. Griffin will attend the Democratic convention.

Mrs. N. E. Emerson will live in town this winter. While fixing up her home she is staying at the Sequoia.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Batty of Oceanside left Saturday morning for a two month's visit with relatives and friends in Iowa, Kansas and Illinois.

Mrs. J. L. Martin has returned from Oakland. Mrs. N. A. Britton of Marysville, her sister, is visiting her.

P. A. and F. B. Bowler and S. A. Waddell of Jerseyville, Ill., are stopping at the Commercial.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Wappan of Wisconsin and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Markwell are staying at the Ogle house. Both families are seeking ranches.

A. Kaiser, owner of the Novelty theater in Stockton, is in Fresno on business connected with the Novelty theater here. Kaiser is a member of the Novelty circuit and is financially interested in the string of theaters controlled by it.

Rev. C. A. Munn, D. D., came up from Alvarado yesterday to attend the funeral of Mr. Hedges. Dr. Munn and Mr. Hodges were the two oldest members of the Knights Templar commandery, the former being their prelate, the latter treasurer. Dr. Munn will return to Alvarado in a few days.

Captain and Mrs. Hunt of the Salvation Army will return tonight from Pacific Grove. They will be a welcome meeting on Thursday night at 8 o'clock. Both Captain and Mrs. Hunt are much improved in health. Ensign Barker, who has been taking their place for the summer, will leave probably Friday for Pacific Grove to join his wife.

DIED

LARSEN In this city September 11, 1908, Mrs. Carrie Larsen, wife of Lars M. Larsen, a native of California, aged 25 years.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend funeral services Thursday, September 13, 1908, at 11 o'clock a. m. from Danish church on Elm avenue. Interment at Washington Colony cemetery. The funeral service will leave the family residence 151 J street at 10 a. m.

McNEILL—In this city, Sept. 11, 1908, Wm. J. McNeill, a native of Alabama, aged 88 years.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend funeral services Wednesday, Sept. 12, 1908, at 10 o'clock a. m. from the chapel of Stephens & Bean. Interment, Mountain View cemetery.

BORN

McKINNON—At East Fresno, September 11, 1908, to the wife of John McKinnon, a daughter.

REILLY—In Fresno, September 8, 1908, to the wife of Joseph M. Reilly, a daughter.

NEVIL—In Fresno, No. 1922 H street, September 11, 1908, to the wife of Thomas Nevil, a son.

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WEATHER

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 11.—Forecast: San Joaquin valley—Fair Wednesday; warmer; light north winds. Temperature, dry bulb 87°. Temperature, wet bulb 60°. Humidity 17%. Wind, northwest, miles per hour 5. Maximum temperature 89°. Minimum temperature 60°.

Fair Wednesday.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

High barometric pressure occupies the region from the Mississippi valley eastward, accompanied by generally fair warm weather, except along the middle and north Atlantic coast, where considerable cloudiness prevails. Low pressure continues to occupy the region between the Rocky mountains and the Mississippi valley, causing light rains along the southern side of the Missouri valley, also over a portion of Colorado, Texas and Louisiana. A thunderstorm occurred at Galveston during the night. An area of high barometric pressure, with a cool wave, is moving eastward from British Columbia, being central in the region of Puget Sound. Frost occurred at Flugstaff, Baker City, and Kalispell. Cool, generally cloudy weather prevails along the Pacific coast, and the pressure conditions indicate continued fair weather at Fresno and vicinity tonight and Wednesday.

J. P. BOLTON, Official in Charge.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Get Hollands' prices on Bluestone for tree spraying. Dr. Hines has returned. Hammond—Wants fig packers. Tally tags at the Republican. Dr. Cory, dentist, has returned. Dr. Cockrell, Dentist, Patterson block. Trays, paper trays. Muday's Planning Mill.

Dr. O. B. Doyle, 29-30 Patterson block.

For Rent—Quie warehouse. Inquire C. H. Emmons.

Tally tags for fruit pickers at the Republican Job Dept.

Wanted—Girls and women to pack figs. Roeding Packing Co., Fresno.

Hughes Hotel. Regular dinner. Guests, served in American plan dining room.

Seven room dwelling on three full lots, north K St., for \$3600.00. F. M. Chittenden & Co.

Little Eddie Anthony, son of Officer Aubrey of the police department, who was badly bitten in the face on Monday night by his uncle's dog, is progressing favorably, although the stitches of the wound will leave a disfiguring and permanent scar.

A. McGill of Fowler came to town yesterday and will stay here for twenty days. He was sentenced to imprisonment on a charge of disturbing the peace by Justice Shannon and came to the county jail in the custody of a constable to serve his sentence.

Mrs. Martha Engen, an aged and respected resident of the West Side, sustained a painful accident yesterday afternoon by a fall. Although up to 80 years of age, she has been in the habit of working industriously assisting in the housework of her son's family. Shortly after dinner yesterday she started to ascend the stairs with a bucket of warm water. In some way her clothing became entangled and she fell heavily to the bottom bruising herself and getting seated. The injuries may turn out seriously in view of her advanced years and possibly internal hurts.

According to the account given by eye-witnesses, Durgan, who was drunk, was driving along at a brisk gait near Tulare street when the child ran across the street. Instead of pulling up and trying to avoid running him down, he went ahead with a yell at the little fellow, who was knocked down, but fortunately was not injured seriously. After lodging Durgan in jail on the charge, Policeman Eads went in search of the boy's parents and finally took him to his home at No. 1333 J street. The child had stayed away from his mother's care and was trying to find his way home when he was run over.

Beyond a few abrasions he escaped injury as the wheel pushed him aside without passing over him. When arrested Durgan was grossly abusive to the officer and gave considerable trouble. He lives on the White's Bridge road and has not been in trouble before.

Young Men's Institute.

Last night's meeting of the members of the Y. M. C. was devoted to various matters of interest, not the least of which was the initiation of a number of newcomers at an early date.

The order is in flourishing state and there is much activity at present in enlarging the membership.

Spanish-American War Veterans.

Jacob Smith post, Spanish-American War Veterans is in receipt of a letter from the sister of the late Patrick McDonald, whose funeral recently took place under the auspices of the order. The writer lives in New Jersey, and expressed her warm thanks to the ex-officers and soldiers who were willing to give the remains of her brother a respectable funeral after caring for him in his last days, when they regarded him as an unfortunate stranger.

The relatives of the young man, it is learned, are in well-to-do circumstances and the dead veteran had a comfortable home.

The veterans are now busy preparing for a big social to be tendered to Major Ben, the department commander, who is about to visit this city. The affair may wind up with a masquerade but the final arrangements are in the hands of a committee.

It was rather expected that the Retail Clerks would follow their big initiation of the girl candidates, but this will happen later on. They initiated several young men and wound up things with one of their roasting soirees.

The Cooks and Waiters were full of business from the moment the meeting was called to order to the breaking up.

At the present time there are no union waiters hunting up work.

On the contrary, there are a number of employers who could go with a few more hands.

The same thing applies to the waitresses, who are all employed.

One new man was admitted. His name is Walter Watkins.

The Carpenters admitted four new members at their regular meeting of last night.

Three of the number were new candidates, while the other was a card candidate from another branch.

Their names are S. W. Camba, W. S. Cook, W. W. Womble, and the transferred member on card, E. Carlson.

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Don't neglect your teeth.
If they need any attention at all, come in at once. Delay may mean pain or more expense later on.

Dr. W. W. Craycroft is temporarily in rooms 27 and 28, Patter-
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Call or phone for appointments.
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Are you tired of them and do you want new ones?
Our September records for the

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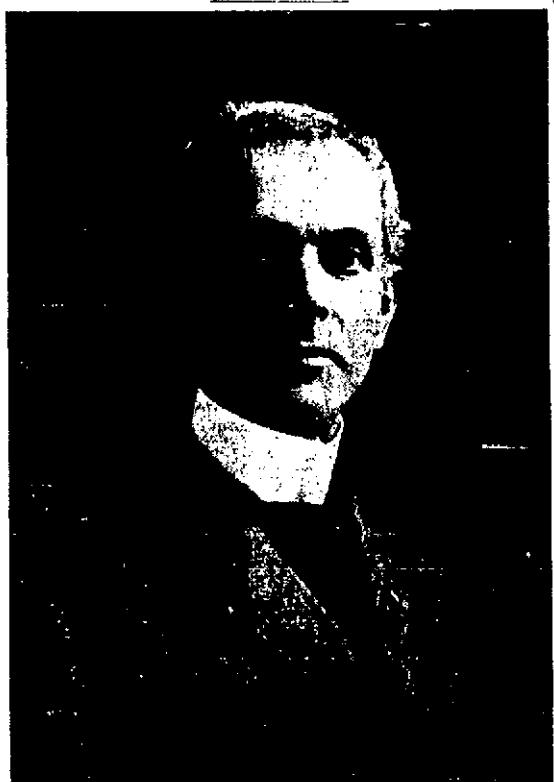
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THE ELLEFORDS OPEN THEATRICAL SEASON



W. J. ELLEFORD, THE VETERAN THEATRICAL MANAGER.

The Ellefords will open their two weeks' engagement at the Barton next Monday with the merry comedy, "A Royal Reception." It was written by Mrs. Ronald Pacheo, the widow of the first governor of this state, and was originally produced under the title of "Inigo," by Charles Dickens and a notable cast, which included Louis Mann, Ellen Berg, Clara Lipman and Lillian Burkhardt. It scored a success throughout the chief cities of the United States and was declared by the press to be one of the wittiest and cleverest farces that have been given the stage. The fun is caused by complications which result from the astonishing resemblance of three young men to each other. It is particularly suited to the Elleford Company and an enter-

tainment of rare enjoyment may be relied upon. The bill for Tuesday is "For Her Children's Sake," a pastoral story that received its first presentation in the hands of Sullivan, Harris and Woods at the American theater, New York, and it was the novelty of the season. It is presented with the full strength of the company and the settings are unusually attractive. Wednesday's offering is "Bronson," Howard's society comedy drama. "The Henrietta" used as a starting vehicle by Stewart Robson and W. H. Crane for several years. None of these plays have ever been seen at 10, 20 and 30 cents before. The sale of seats will open at the box office on Thursday morning. Tomorrow at 9 o'clock tickets can be secured a week in advance. The matinees will be 10 and 20 cents.

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TUESDAY, SEPT. 26, 1906.

Johnstone and Olday.
PITTSBURG, Sept. 21.—The longest and greatest game ever seen in Pittsburgh was played between the Pittsburgh and Cincinnati teams today.

R. H. E.
Pittsburgh 0 8 6
Cincinnati 0 10 3
Batteries: Philipp, Gibson and Phelps; Ewing and Schler, Umpire, Klem.

WHERE THE HORSE IS STILL KING

Great Feats of Equestrianism Will
Be Seen at Tomorrow's
Circus.

There is one field of endeavor in which the horse is an absolutely essential. In the circus, at least, he is safe from the rivalry of electric motors; for no circus exhibition is complete without feats of equestrianism. Oscar Lowande, head of the present Lowande family, who will be a feature in tomorrow's performances of the Forepaugh-Sells shows, comes from a long line of daring riders, his ancestors for five generations having been champion bareback performers; his great, great, great grandfather, Alexander Lowande, a Russian Jew, was the premier rider in the Royal Court Circus of St. Petersburg in 1750. Oscar Lowande, with his brothers and sisters, is this season presenting an equestrian novelty, with four beautiful horses harnessed to a tally-ho drag and while in rapid motion, they perform all of the aerobatic stunts which gymnasts usually find difficult of achievement on the platform.

Bud Gorma, equestrian director of the Forepaugh-Sells performance, presents a string of blue ribbon, Kentucky thoroughbreds, magnificent specimens of equine beauty, who perform in a manner which arouses the greatest enthusiasm.

Madam Maratouette will exhibit the champion high school and saddle horse, Prince Rowland, who has never been defeated in any show ring. He has twelve distinct gaits under saddle, keeping time perfectly with the music; also the famous high jumping horse, St. Patrick. The world's champion record of 7 feet 10 1/4 inches is held by St. Patrick.

Miss Rauch will introduce two attractive English horses in a clever and artistic drawing room display of equestrianism. There are, it is said, no less than twelve distinct feature acts in the Forepaugh-Sells shows which depend upon the intelligence and beauty of the horse for the results achieved.

In addition to these feature acts are the hippodrome events. A double tandem race; the gentlemen's jockey race; the Roma standing race, two chariots, each drawn by four horses; the Indian ponies ridden by Simian jockeys, and the clowns in satyric driving race.

In the spectacle "Fighting the Flame," six teams, some of them three abreast, play important parts. They are regularly trained fire horses and it is said exhibit a degree of intelligence little short of marvelous.

The Clydesdale and Percheron draft horses, used in the parade and for drawing the heavy parapet wagons from the railway station to the show grounds, are an attractive feature. The three stables used in caring for this department are the first tents erected upon the show lot, and are models of equine luxury. A veterinary surgeon and six assistants are in charge of the equine hospital. There are 500 horses with the Forepaugh-Sells circus.

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DESTITUTE, IS SENT HOME

Supervisors Ship Unfortunate
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With Shiftless Husband and
Many Children She has
Been a Charge.

After keeping Mrs. L. E. Nair and her family from starving for over a year, the Board of Supervisors yesterday put the unfortunate woman and three of her children aboard a train and shipped them to relatives in Texas. For the first time since the supervisors were called upon to aid her, Mrs. Nair wore a dress that was new and neat and clean; for the first time she knew the feel of a piece of money that was all her own, to spend as she desired.

The Nairs came here about a year and a half ago. The family consisted of the husband, wife and six children. Almost from the first they were a charge upon the county. The attention of the supervisors was called to their destitute condition by neighbors, and a visit was paid to a hotel on E street that they called home.

The house was almost destitute of furniture. There was one tumble-down bed and a dirty mattress spread upon the floor where the children slept. In the kitchen were a few dishes, most of them broken, and two or three knives and forks. As for food, there was none, whatever, and there were eight hungry mouths to be fed. The mother and her children were clad in rags. Nair was working in a woodsy unloading cars and piling wood. But he was shiftless and lazy and generally took his boys along to do the work for him. He did not earn enough to feed his family. He could not buy wood to cook what little food he had bought, and the meals were prepared over a fire built of sawdust begged from the mills. Mrs. Nair was sick and needed attention.

The supervisors took pity on the family and ever since have contributed to its support. Several weeks ago Nair himself was brought before the board and threatened with arrest if he did not do something to support his family. He replied in a helpless sort of way that he could get nothing to do, but was willing to work when work presented itself. A few days afterward, with his two oldest boys, aged 16 and 19, he went to San Francisco, where he believed he could get work. He left Mrs. Nair absolutely destitute and she was obliged again to call upon the supervisors. Nair stayed away just a week. Then he returned to Fresno with his boys and declared there was no work to be had in San Francisco, and he settled down to help out the small stock of supplies that the charity of the county had provided for his unfortunate wife—unfortunate because the awful strain of existing on insufficient food, trying to care for three little tots under five years old, and hearing them often cry from hunger when she was unable to do anything for them, watching after a wayward daughter whom she finally gave up in despair, enduring the thousand and one hardships that a mother has to face under any circumstances, was gradually telling upon her mind. The woman, who appeared before the supervisors a week ago was gaunt, pale, vacuous-eyed; her conversation was aimless, her gestures wild. The supervisors realized that something had to be done. They told her if her relatives in the East would care for her, they would send her home. She came soon with a letter from a sister in Texas, who volunteered to care for her, the supervisors gave Mrs. Nair money to buy clothes for herself and her children, and she appeared again yesterday, neatly dressed and ready for the trip.

"My man does the best he can, but he's sick and can't work much," she explained. "He ought to be sent to jail," unfeeling remarked one of the supervisors, who had little respect for the lack of thrift on the part of the woman's husband.

Thirty dollars was expended in purchasing tickets for Mrs. Nair and the three little children under 5 years old who are accompanying her home. A lunch sufficient to last her three days was put up and she was given \$5 cash in addition.

"It is cheaper to get her away than it is to support the entire family indefinitely," one of the members of the board stated, in explaining the board's action.

Tally-Ho Surprise Party.

A merry party of young people made up a tally-ho party Monday evening to surprise Mrs.

BARTON OPERA HOUSE

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WEEK STARTING MONDAY, Sept. 17TH.

The Monarchs of Repertoire.

THE ELLEFORD COMPANY.

Presenting a Melange of Comedy and Vaudeville. Note the Time Tried Successes:

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Wednesday—The Henritette.

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The first presentation of these plays at the prices **10c. 20c. 30c.**

Society vaudeville between acts.

Sale of seats opens at the Box Office on Thursday.

DEATHS MAY RESULT FROM EATING PACKING HOUSE BEEF

KALAMAZOO, Mich., Sept. 10.—Ten persons in three different families of this city have been lying at the point of death for over twelve hours, suffering from the effects of eating dried beef, delivered to their homes Saturday by a man who cannot be located.

A partial investigation has revealed that the meat came originally from one of the large packing houses.

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The great health and pleasure resort of California not disturbed by the recent earthquake. You may still find rest, amusement, and repair your health. The hotel table is numerous. It is the only place in the world where you can get a hot mineral bath in porcelain tubs without leaving the hotel. You may spend a long period there taking advantage of the week end excursions; the Southern Pacific is still selling these excursion tickets at \$11.00, all expenses paid, Friday to Tuesday inclusive, including R. R. fare, two days' board at the hotel, use of mineral water and baths, also hot mud baths, and stage fare to and from station to hotel.

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Every Wednesday Through San Joaquin Valley.

If going East, remember that a comfortable tourist car, personally conducted, leaves San Francisco, 10:30 a. m. every Wednesday over Southern Pacific line, through San Joaquin valley by daylight to Los Angeles and then via San Antonio and M. K. & T. line to St. Louis. Ask Southern Pacific agents.

Card of Thanks.

To our friends in Clovis and Fresno for their kind sympathy during our recent bereavement and also for the many floral tributes we desire to tender our most sincere thanks. We also wish to express our grateful appreciation of the beautiful music rendered by the Culver Presbyterian church choir.

MR. & MRS. GEO. E. WAGNER.

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SCOTTY DROPS INTO HANFORD

And Does the Alcoholic Route as Per Usual.

Three Japs Get Into a Squab-ble and Pump Lead Into One Another.

HANFORD, Sept. 11.—Scoty, "The King of the Desert Mine," paid Hanford a visit today, his presence creating little stir in the community. He was accompanied by his private secretary Juke Moran, with whom he formed an acquaintance in Fresno. After spending the day in making the rounds of the town, inspecting the fair grounds, etc., he left for Mojave on the Limited for a visit to his mining mine in Death Valley.

The fair directors are getting arrangements well under way for the Central California fair.

The contract for constructing an addition to the grand stand at the fair grounds has been let to J. F. Brown for \$335, the work to be completed by September 25th. A. J. Huff will be engaged by the day to construct a pavilion, in which to present the vaudeville show. The contract for furnishing the band music was let to J. Wesley Tilton of this city.

During a quarrel in a gambling den in Chumtown at Arionne early Saturday morning, revolvers were drawn and three Japanese, Nobei, Waddi and Taki, were all wounded by flying bullets, although none of them was seriously hurt. Sheriff Buckner was notified, and after visiting the scene of the shooting, traced Naki to Hanford, where he was arrested and placed in the hospital ward of the county jail. He is suffering from two bullet wounds, one in the left fore arm and the other about the knee, in the left leg.

Naki states that the row was over money matters and claims that he was shot while he was down. Dr. Lamb of Arionne, who dressed Nobei's and Waddi's wounds, said that they are not seriously hurt, each receiving a single scalp wound.

The third district of the California library association met in Hanford Monday for a one day's session. The presiding officers were: Miss Gear Baird of Fresno, president; Miss Margaret Doid, secretary. The other attending members being Miss Nellie Miss Rodinger and Miss Emma Barker Bakersfield; Miss Marjorie Hayes Kern; Miss Oakford and Miss Minnie Clark, Tulare; Mrs. Freeland, Selma; and Mrs. Marden, Fowler. F. A. Dodge, president of the Hanford Library board, delivered the address of welcome. At the afternoon session Miss Nellie Strother of Fresno read a paper on the selection of children's books.

Umpqua tribe, I. O. R. M., is preparing to entertain all the tribes of this part of the state, at a big powwow to be held in this city in November. The committee of arrangements consists of S. J. Stearns, Walter McNamee, G. S. Rend, C. W. Fox and C. B. Ronke.

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TWO FIRES IN THREE HOURS

Fresnans Lose Property By Blaze in Madera.

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We have spent many years in the study of this one subject—the eye. Our experience is yours for the asking. A guarantee goes with all our work. We charge for the glasses only.

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POLITICAL CARDS

FOR TAX COLLECTOR.

A. B. SMITH.

Republican Nominee.

For Supervisor—First District.

CHRIS JORGENSEN.

Regular Democratic Nominee.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER.

J. R. HICKMAN.

Regular Republican Nominee.

For District Attorney.

GEO. COSGRAVE.

Republican Nominee.

FOR COUNTY SURVEYOR.

H. L. WARD.

Democratic Nominee.

FOR SHERIFF.

L. P. TIMMINS.

Republican Nominee.

FOR ASSESSOR.

J. M. BRAMBLETT.

Republican Nominee.

FOR COUNTY SURVEYOR.

SCOTT MCKAY.

Republican Nominee.

For Justice of the Peace.

(Third Township)

GEORGE WASHINGTON SMITH.

Democratic Nominee.

FOR CONSTABLE.

(Third Township)

WM. H. PULESTON.

Regular Republican Nominee.

For Judge of the Superior Court.

GEO. E. CHURCH (Incumbent)

Democratic Nominee.

FOR PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

GEO. R. ANDREWS.

Republican Nominee.

FOR RECORDER.

R. M. BARSTOW.

Republican Nominee.

For Recorder—

CHARLES McCARDLE.

Democratic Nominee.

For Treasurer.

R. G. HARRELL.

Democratic Nominee.

For Assemblyman—6th District.

T. J. ALEXANDER.

Democratic Nominee.

For Judge of the Superior Court.

ALVA E. SNOW.

Republican Nominee.

For Judge of the Superior Court.

H. Z. AUSTIN (Incumbent).

Republican Nominee.

For Constable of the Third Township.

WALTER S. MCNAUL.

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N. P. JUSTY.

Democratic Nominee.

FOR CORONER.

WILLIAM A. BEAN.

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FOR SHERIFF.

E. D. CHITTENDEN.

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Democratic Nominee.

FOR TAX COLLECTOR.

S. R. LA RUE.

Democratic Nominee.

LOST.

LOST—Between Pollosky and Lane's Bridge, roll of blankets containing two heavy laprobes. Finder notify 440 Poplar avenue or phone Main 2516.

LOST—One week ago, one green bleye. Finder leave at Fresno hotel, opposite Santa Fe depot.

LOST—On Recreation Park ear Saturday night, gold watch fob on black ribbon; gent's picture inside, initials "E. L." on outside. Finder return to 114 Thesta St. and receive reward.

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FOUND—Black Snell bicycle. Address 401 C street. Owner call and prove property and pay for ad.

FOUND—Brooch. Owner can have same by applying at Republican office and paying for ad.

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HELP WANTED—MALE.

WANTED—Buy with wheel, to run errands. Apply this morning to manager—U.S. store, Kutner-Goldstein Co.

WANTED—Clothing salesman at 1 X. L., 1830 Mariposa street.

WANTED—A first class accountant who can give two evenings a week to teaching penmanship and book-keeping. Address Evening Class, Box 33, Republican office.

WANTED—Competent girl to do cooking and house work, 1007 R street.

WANTED—Woman to do cooking and general house-work on ranch; wages \$25.00. Address R. R. No. 1, Box 46, Fresno, Calif.

WANTED—Girl for general house-work and cooking. Apply 1220 4 St., between 4 and 5 p. m.

WANTED—Buy. Apply E. P. Charlton & Co., 932 J.

WANTED—Honest young man, \$60.00 per month. Apply Model Bakery.

ACTIVE MAN WANTED in each county to exhibit, demonstrate, and advertise staple line; salary \$18 weekly, \$1 per day for expenses. No capital required. Honesty and sobriety more essential than experience. National Co., 720 Chestnut St., Philadelphia.

WANTED—Experienced grocery salesman, clerks and drivers. Address Box 102, Fresno.

WANTED—A boy to run errands; good wages. Call 7 o'clock today, 220 J.

WANTED—Man to take care transient stock Thursday. Inquire Blackhawk Stables.

WANTED—First-class bookkeeper with mercantile position. Stature \$100; permanent position. Stature and references; confidential. Address J. W. S., Box 30, this office.

WANTED—Experienced grocery salesman and solicitor; must be first-class; good salary. Mrs. Mrs. Dyale, Grocery Manager, Reddick's.

WANTED—A handymen for janitor. Address stating salary expected, to B. S., Box 17, Republican.

YOUNG MAN WANTED—18 years of age. E. P. Charlton & Co., 932 J St., Fresno.

WANTED—Hardware man. Good position of right party. Address Box 102, Fresno.

WANTED—10 lumber dealers; \$50 per month and board. Apply J. H. House, 616 K St.

FONNEYS' EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 1221½ 1 St., Reliable help furnished. Phone Main 876.

RELIANCE Employment office. Men wanted; \$2 day. 1217 K St., Main 2582.

ACQUIRES RELIABLE EMPLOYMENT office. Furniture, stock, implements, etc., bought and sold on commission. 935 J St., Fresno, Calif. Phone Main 2833.

WANTED—Man to run gasoline engine. Minnewawa Vineyard.

WANTED—Men for general ranch work. Apply office Fancher Creek Nursery, 1225 J.

ACTIVE MAN wanted to advertise, exhibit goods and manage branch of large Mail Order House. Salary \$15 per week, expenses paid. Permanent position with advancement. Honesty more essential than experience. National Co., 720 Chestnut St., Philadelphia.

WANTED—Competent girl to do cooking and housework; good wages; 1007 R street.

WANTED—Girl to do cooking. Inquire 1407 K St.

FOR SALE—Miscellaneous.

FOR SALE—Courtman's high grade Pierce wheel; a sacrifice; going away. Inquire 850 L street.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Two work or driving horses and nice young cow. Will trade for good buggy or fast driver. Call 146 Park Ave., or phone Main 2141.

WANTED—Young man 18 or 20 years old with some experience in the shoe business. Steady position; chance to advance. References. Address P. O. Box 765.

WANTED—Good milker; good wages. Minnewawa vineyard.

JAPANESE HELP—Labor contracting. Furukawa Bros., 1448 Kern St. Tel. Main 715.

WANTED—A fairly experienced entry clerk and assistant bookkeeper. References required. Address D. Box 34, Republican.

PEOPLES' EMPLOYMENT OFFICE—Reliable help furnished. 1307 1 St. Phone Main 2050.

WANTED—Woodsmen and mill men. Apply Saenger Stag Stables.

WANTED—Young man 18 or 20 years old with some experience in the shoe business. Steady position; chance to advance. References. Address P. O. Box 765.

PUMPKINS FOR SALE—Fancher Creek Nursery No. 2, three miles northwest of town.

FOR SALE—My private driving horse, business buggy, private tire, and harness. All first-class. Time payment if required. S. N. Griffith.

FOR SALE OR FOR RENT—A ten-roomed house furnished, suitable for boudoirs or lodgings; a good chicken-yard; a good location. 1431 K St. Inquire on premises.

FOR SALE—Elegant furniture, carpets, etc., of 5-room house in best of condition; used 4 months. Apply after 6 p. m., 2022 San Joaquin St.

FOR SALE—One second-hand surrey, \$75; one buggy, \$50; one road wagon, \$25; one new wagon gear, \$14.50; one new small one-horse farm wagon, one 2-horse medium farm wagon, one set second-hand work harness, at Lyons-Bales Co., 1142 I street.

FOR SALE—80 tons of baled barley hay. On the river, about 2 miles northeast of Hierdon. At ranch or delivered. Address R. M. Madersbach, Box 254, Fresno.

FOR SALE—Alfalfa hay in stack, 1 mile north of city limits. Address 731 Fresno or phone State 178; scales on ranch.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—With Fresno or country property, well established and good paying furniture business. Owner must leave on account of sickness. 1125 K St.

FOR SALE—Large, smooth tomatoes. Phone Suburban 784.

FOR SALE—Fresh good milches; weight about 100 lbs. Call Anderson Bros., 1½ miles south Fresno Winery.

WANTED—To contract the sale of cattle for six months from 25 choice cows. F. C. Campbell, P. O. Box 1023 Fresno.

FOR SALE—Fresh young cows. Wm. E. L. No. 2.

FOR SALE—Jersey cow. Apply 1626 F street.

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FOR SALE—One of the best confectionaries in Santa Cruz, Calif., with complete ice cream and candy tools. Write to the owner, A. Lambert, Prop. No. 250 Pacific Avenue.

WANTED—An honest partner with small capital; chance of lifetime. Phone minia 1520.

WANTED—Lady or gentleman with \$300.00, to take ½ interest in nice business. Address Business, box 26, Republican office.

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It bears the hall mark of good taste and clever workmanship and when it is worn it creates the impression at once that the wearer is well dressed.

Every yard of cloth that enters into an Adler suit is chemically tested before it is made up—it is sun proof and rain proof. The men who design the Adler clothing are paid the highest salary of any cutters in the world. Every suit is tried on a living model before it leaves the makers' hands.

It's this constant vigilance—this extra intelligence that gives this clothing its mark of distinction.

We are clothing some of the best dressers in Fresno, in these Adler suits and they tell us they never wore better-fitting garments.

The new patterns are extremely good. Dark grays with overshot plaid designs, shadowy checks, hard twisted worsteds, blue serges in faint patterns and some exceptionally good Thibets.

Every man who has been in the habit of paying from \$30 to \$50 for a suit of clothes is invited to inspect these Adler suits.

The question of saving him money will be so apparent that he won't rest until he also is wearing an Adler suit. We are showing some elegant garments today at \$22.50.

New Fall Street Hats Arrive

Advance shipments from our New York office that are extremely interesting. These hats were made for a large Chicago store, but the maker and the buyer became involved in a dispute so that the hats were offered for sale at reduced prices. We secured them and place the bulk of them on sale this morning.

Hats Worth \$4 for \$3

Very pretty white stitched felt hats in sailor shapes, made with a high crown, trimmed on the side with two quills and velvet bands.

Others in tailored hats of French felt with bell crowns, caught up on the side with bands of velvet and pearl buttons, and two long quills; special for \$3.

Satin finished felt hats, trimmed with bands of velvet round the crown, trimmed on the side with velvet and caught up with quills. Colors, garnet, brown tan, or black. Special for \$3.50.

Handsome Pony Jacket Suits, \$8.95 All New

The woman who is looking for an elegant suit for fall at a moderate price will be here as early as possible today. It isn't often new suits, fresh from the makers' hands, can be bought at this reduced price. Among them are the stylish Pony jacket suits that are destined to be the rage this fall. They may be had in shades of gray, in shadow plaid, in fantom checks and in elegant plaid. The skirts are circular shaped, the jackets trimmed with inlaid collars and cuffs of green broad cloth, finished with silk soutache braid and fancy buttons to match. Then there are suits of white broad cloths with braid and buttons to match—others in blue mixtures in fine color combinations.

Suits worth up to \$15 will be on sale this morning and all day at only \$8.95.

Bed Spreads for Less

The linen store comes to the front this morning with a bedspread sale that should interest housewives, hotel and lodging house keepers.

The spreads are all of standard quality and the prices are below the usual figures.

We are stimulating trade by means of special sales and this is one of the most interesting of the day.

\$1.25—Excellent colored bed spreads made of good cotton yarn, firm in weight and fast in color. Pink, red or blue borders fringed all around the edges. Worth fully \$1.75.

\$1.50—For spreads worth up to \$2, snow white, three-ply cotton yarn, Marseilles patterns and reversible, 80x90 in size. Big enough for any bed.

\$1.15—For a very good bed spread, stout cotton yarn, good weight, hemmed, ready for use. Honey comb pattern, double bed size.

\$2.50—For a very good \$3.50 bed spread. Extra heavy, real Marseilles, a sample lot that are away above the average in goodness.

\$1.00—For the regular \$1.35 quality. A full sized crochet spread in a variety of good patterns. Crocheted spreads all hemmed and ready for use.

\$5.00—For a \$7.50 spread. One of the finest made, satin finished, Honey Comb patterns. A magnificent spread that will be offered for this day only at \$5.00.

Short Kimonos 29c

A snap for women who are keen to come for good bargains:

Short, black Japanese crepe kimonos, full cut, flowing sleeves, washable; the right thing for early fall wear.

Peter Pan Waists \$1.23

Linene Peter Pan waists with short sleeves, broad collars and cuffs. The waist trimmed with pearl buttons and side pockets.

Redlick's

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Fresh Bread, 4 loaves 10c

Ginger Bread, Square 7c

Cold Boiled Ham, lb. 27c

Duffy's Cider, 2 bottles 35c

Lilly Brand Cream, 3 cans 25c

Vernard's Chocolate, can 21c

Daisy Fly Killer, each 20c

Limbiger Cheese, each 32c

Imported Swiss Cheese, lb. 33c

English Breakfast Tea, 4 oz. grade 33c

Graham Flour, 10-lb sack 26c

Bromangelon, 3 pkgs 25c

Meat Specials

Hundreds of families look for these special items almost as soon as the paper reaches them in the morning. It's a sure way to save money:

Pot Roasts, lb. 7c

Shoulder of Mutton, lb. 8c

Shoulder Rib Steaks, lb. 7c

Every pound of meat we sell is guaranteed and every ounce of weight. If there is ever the slightest cause for complaint tell us; we will speedily rectify the error.

Children's Hosiery

For school.

A fine, medium, or heavy ribbed hose, that will stand many hard knocks; a hose intended for youngsters who are rough on stockings; double knees, double soles; fast ebony dye; special today pair 10c

SULPHURING OF FRUIT

A. J. Andrew of Salt Lake is at the Grand Central.

W. McClair of New York is registered at the Sequoia.

Mrs. M. J. Lauing arrived here last night from San Francisco and will visit friends.

F. Bell and wife arrived here from Visalia yesterday evening on a short visit to relatives.

Thomas Atchley, a well known rancher of Jamison, who spent last weekend with his wife, left yesterday.

Herbert F. Clark and wife are staying at the Hughes, having arrived on the Owl from the city last night.

Frederick Coleman and Joseph Smith have returned from Santa Cruz, where they attended the Republican convention. They are at the Sequoia.

Miss Julia Wint is staying for a few days with her cousins, the Misses Barnes and Ella Goldman. Miss Wint is from Oakland, but formerly lived with her parents in this place.

Late valley arrivals at the Grand Central last night were: E. Y. Foley, R. B. Burnett, Dolley; G. V. Woodson, Madena; Willard Brooks, Olander; C. Bacon, Vizalia; J. W. McCord, Robert Doherty, Hanford; W. B. Cartwill, Tulare.

Jacob Reinhart returned from his trip to the city on the Owl last night. Mathew White, whose home is in Binghamton, N. Y., is visiting these parts. He arrived on the Owl last night.

Dr. Bernard Gehtz, who is an optician visiting this state from the East, is spending a few days with friends in this city. He intends making a fall trip to the Yo-emitte, accompanied by his young daughter and sister-in-law.

S. W. Barnes, formerly a resident of this city, is in town visiting with his family. Mr. Barnes recently took a band of horses to San Francisco. While climbing into a loft to feed them he slipped and fell and was severely injured and is at home resting up.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Jenney are after their extended Eastern trip. Mr. Jenney, who had the misfortune during his absence to lose one of his legs, in a railroad accident in Kansas City, is able to get about now on crutches, and expects within a few weeks to be with his wife again. He and Mrs. Jenney are at their home on Glen Avenue.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 11.—The first meeting of the board of arbitrators which is to settle the difficulties between the Carmen and the United Railroads will be held Thursday morning at the office of the company, at 11th and Broderick streets. Thorne Mullaly and Richard Cornelius will, at that time, attempt to select a third member of the board, who will be a non-partisan in both parties.

It is thought Superior Judge Murphy will be chosen. The Carmen are in favor of bleaching.

BORN.

VOGEL-SANG.—In Fresno, September 11, 1906, to the wife of E. D. Vogel, a daughter.

Remember that I represent the largest life insurance company in the world, Alphonse Newhouse, 204 Forsyth Bldg.

Diamonds

Are

Different

Some are full of fire and some are dead. You may buy one of the latter kind elsewhere and never know it—till you try to sell the stone.

We buy no dead diamonds, consequently sell none. You're safe in making selections at Oberlin Bros.

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REMNANTS

Of Carpets, Linoleums, Lace

Curtains and Draperies

At Any Old Price

This Week.

Wormser Furniture Co.

THE DOCTORS AND TRUSTEES

Two Municipal Boards Have Hot Time Over Cold Water—

Sunderland Demands Fair Treatment for Southern Part of Town—Ice Plant Water Referred to Sewer Committee—Harmony Restored.

As a result of the turning of the water from the ice factories back into the sewer Monday afternoon by order of Trustee Sunderland and the running of it back into the gutters of Santa Clara avenue yesterday morning by Dr. Hayden, the city trustees and the Board of Health got together last night and took action looking toward the disposal of the water from the ice factories in a manner that will be agreeable to everybody. The meeting started off with a spirit that augured for a good sized row; it ended with a mutual admiration society with the health board expressing its very high opinion of the trustees and the trustees replying in kind.

Looks Good for Row.

There promised yesterday morning to be a large sized row. When the health board met on Monday night, Dr. Hayden reported having relieved the condition of the sewers in the southern part of the city by turning the ice plant surplus water from the sewers into the gutters on Santa Clara avenue, whence it ran off into the Kern street drain. The improvement was so marked, that the sentiment was expressed that the ice factories should never again be allowed to drain into the sewers. Dr. Hayden was consequently disagreeably surprised yesterday morning when he found that the water from the ice plants was again running down the sewers. He went at once to the San Joaquin ice factory and asked why his orders had been disobeyed. He was told that an employee of the street department had come there and made the sewer connection, saying that he had been instructed by a member of the Board of City Trustees who had said that neither Dr. Hayden nor any other person who was described with an unprintable epithet had a right to run that water into the streets. Dr. Hayden was indignant. He declared that he would not permit any one to use such language toward him and that he would demand of the city trustees that the man who was guilty should be deposed from office. Before evening, however, was too much in earnest to appreciate the humor of the doctor's remarks.

Suggested Relief.

Trustee Myers explained that Hayden had been given authority by the trustees to do the best he could with the problem of the surplus water. The discussion brought out a statement that the new sewer soon to be built will not provide any more adequate facilities for carrying the water from the ice plants than exist now, as the mains in that part of the city are too small. Several suggestions were made as to how the water could be cared for, the one that seemed most feasible being to run it south through a pipe under the railroad tracks and empty it into a canal that runs through Woodward's addition.

The people in the south end of town pay taxes and are entitled to as much consideration as those in the north end," said Trustee Sunderland. "If this water can't go in the sewers, it certainly should not go on the streets. Something has got to be done. I don't care what. If the new sewers are not going to relieve the situation, let us do something at once to relieve it. I move that the sewer committee have full power to act in getting this water off the streets."

Meantime, when the water began again to flow upon the streets, it aroused the ire of Trustee Sunderland. On the preceding day Sunderland had complained to Superintendent of Streets Spencer and it was Spencer who had given orders for the water to be turned again into the sewer. Sunderland sought out the mayor, and as both the trustees and health board were anxious to get together, last night's meeting was called. There were present Mayor Lyon, Trustees Keisker, Myers, Statham, Wrightson and Sunderland and Drs. Hayden and Burks of the Board of Health.

Spirited Colloquy.

Sunderland opened the proceedings by complaining against the water running by complainants on the streets. He said it was forming in big pools in many places and in front of his own place was particularly bad.

"Isn't it better," asked Dr. Hayden, "to have clean water running along there than to have the sewerage back up?"

"I don't see why the property of everybody in that neighborhood should be injured for the sake of two or three people," replied Sunderland.

"You mean two or three thousand people," retorted Hayden. "There was not a day before we shut that water out of the sewers that we didn't have people coming to us and complaining about the sewerage backing up.

Since the water went onto the streets we have had just one complaint, and the sanitary inspector has investigated and found that conditions generally are greatly relieved."

"I never heard a complaint about the sewerage," said Sunderland, "but since this winter was turned on the streets, if I had one complaint, I've had seventy-five. I can stand it if anyone can, but I don't think anybody ought to stand it."

"We had to do something with that water," declared Hayden, "for the entire controversy thus far seemed to be between him and Sunderland. And any way, it is better to have pure water running on the streets than to have the yards overflowing with impure water from the sewers."

"If that's pure water," said Sunderland, "therefore I'll drink beer. You

rested for hauling in beer for a Japanese. Crane was the driver of the dray. When he was on the witness stand, he was asked what he was hauling.

He refused to answer the question on the grounds that the ordinance was unconstitutional, that no legal action was pending by which he could be compelled to testify, that by answering the question he might make himself liable to the payment of a penalty instead of imprisonment for its violation; that the answer might tend to incriminate him; that the recorder's court in which the case was tried had no jurisdiction; and that section 17-1-2 of the ordinance, exempting clerks or agents called to give testimony from the penalties of the ordinance, was a clear violation of the constitution.

The subject of that law which was upheld by the highest court in the land, gambling by stockholders, could not by any stretch of the imagination be said to be of the nature of the people directly affected, that they were the proprietors of the gambling houses.

The rule is simply a reaffirmation of Section 2, of Article 1, of our constitution, wherein it is written:

"Government is instituted for the protection, security and benefit of the people, and they have the right to alter or reform the same whenever the public good may require it."

The contention for this principle as applied to the traffic in intoxicating liquor has been long and bitter, and since the license cases, decided by the Supreme court of the United States in 1847, it has been consistently held by all the courts that under the police power before referred to, the local authorities could either regulate or prohibit it, as in their judgment seemed best."

In concluding, Judge Lyon says: "The conclusion therefore is that the town of Selma had the right to adopt Ordinance No. 98, and is by the constitution and laws given power to enforce it, that it is not obnoxious to any provision of the federal or state constitutions, or in conflict with any general law of the state."

Some writ of habeas corpus issued herein should be dismissed, and the prisoner remanded to the custody of the sheriff."

Tally-Ho Surprise Party.